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THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, (Limited).

Will despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. MADURA, 1,941 Tons, on THURSDAY, 23rd Dec., 1880, at 3 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Coompta, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Madras, Masulipatam, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, in the foregoing or any other, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

THE S. S. PACHUMBA, 867 Tons, on TUESDAY, 21st December, at 4 p. m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao, and Muscat, in the foregoing or any other.

FOR CUTCH, MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. CALCUTTA, 863 Tons, on SATURDAY, 25th December, 1880, at 10 a. m.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILLIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

THE S. S. PUNJAUB, 1,080 Tons, on THURSDAY, 13th January, 1881.

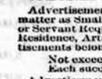
N.B.—Goods.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

Imports.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by this Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 17th Dec., 1880. Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION with ITALY VIA SUEZ CANAL.



ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

The Regular Steamers Leave

GENOA on the 21th, and BOMBAY on the 1st of *each Month.*

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.

[Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.]

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Aden	Rs. 220	Rs. 140	Rs. 80
[illegible]	,, 360 ,, 220		,, 80
Said	,, 380 ,, 240		,, 90
[illegible]	,, 500 ,, 300		,, 140
[illegible]	,, 500 ,, 300	Including Wines.	,, 140
[illegible]	,, 500 ,, 310		,, 140
[illegible]	,, 500 ,, 310		,, 140
[illegible]lles	,, 520 ,, 330	Without food.	,, 145

Children under 3 years, free of charge ; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agent.

Next steamers from Bombay :—

SINGAPORE, to sail on SATURDAY, 1st January, 1881.
MANILLA, to sail on TUESDAY, 1st February, 1881.
SUMATRA, to sail on WEDNESDAY, 1st March, 1880.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation, and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The Steamers of this Company start precisely at 12 noon. Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

First and Second Class Through Railway Tickets, from GENOA and NAPLES to LONDON, are issued here at rates which can be learnt from the undersigned.

Cargo for Barcelona and Odessa can be booked at through-rates.

For Hand-books of information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

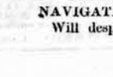
F. BOZZONI,
Agent, Rubattino S. N. Company,
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle.
Bombay, 1st December, 1880.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS

FORTNIGHTLY BETWEEN

BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL

(VIA MALTA).



THE following sailings have been arranged :—

Captain	Tons.	H. P.		
Wistow Hall	T. Colin..	2,700	400..	about 31st Dec.
Rydal Hall	O. Lloyd..	2,700	400..	,, 15th Jan.
Speke Hall	Brand	1,731	.....	,, 29th ,,

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

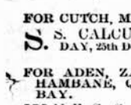
Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS. For plans, hand-books of information, and any further particulars apply to

EDWARD BATES & Co., W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., } Agents.

Bombay, Nov. 23, 1880.

LIVERPOOL VIA SUEZ CANAL.

S. S. STRATHLEVEN,
2,436 tons, C. W. Pearson, Commander,
TO SAIL ABOUT 24TH DECEMBER.



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NOTICE.

ANCHOR LINE INDIAN SERVICE.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per S. S. INDIA are hereby informed of the Steamer's ARRIVAL from Glasgow and Liverpool, and are requested to present their BILLS of LADING and to TAKE DELIVERY of their respective goods without delay, from the Prince's Dock.

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THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1880.
— THIBET	2593	400	W. R. Jordan	18th Dec.
s. ROSETTA	3500	700	A. E. Barlow	23rd ,,
				1881.
— MALWA	2939	500	W. Thomson	1st Jan.
s. ANCONA	3091	600	E. G. Stead	8th ,,
— TEHERAN	2389	400	A. C. Loggin	15th ,,
s. AUSTRALIA	3661	600	G. F. Cates	22nd ,,
— KASHGAR	3621	450	S. F. Cole	29th ,,
s. MIRZAPORE	3887	600	A. Parish	5th Feb.
— SUMATRA	2488	450	R. F. Briscoe	12th ,,
s. RAVENNA	3349	700	G. Lee	19th ,,
— SURAT	3142	530	W. E. Breeze	26th ,,
s. VERONA	3446	600	E. Ashdown	5th Mar.
— MONGOLIA	2833	530	E. M. Edmond	12th ,,
s. ROHILLA	3464	700	W. Barratt	19th ,,
— TEHERAN	2389	400	A. C. Loggin	26th ,,

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1880.
ZAMBESI	2431	370	A. Symons	31st Dec.
				1881.
KHIVA	2909	450	T. Alderton	11th Jan.
INDUS	3462	600	S. D. Shallard	28th Jan.
GWALIOR	2733	450	E. I. Baker	11th Feb.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

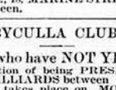
Return Tickets at reduced rates, available for 3 months, are now issued :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.
From Bombay to Brindisi or Venice and back	Rs. 950	
Do. do. with option of travelling one way *viâ* Southampton	Rs. 1,000	
	1st Class.	2nd Class.
Do. to Galle (available for 2 months)	150	75
Do. to Penang and Singapore (do)	450	255

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 17th Dec., 1880.

P. & O. S. N. COMPANY.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.



SPECIAL FIRST CLASS RETURN TICKETS, available for SIX MONTHS, will be issued to Passengers visiting the Exhibition by the steamer of the 4th June and subsequent fortnightly steamers, at the REDUCED FARE of RUPEES SIX HUNDRED.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 20th Nov., 1880.

STEAM TO HONGKONG *VIA* COLOMBO, PENANG, & SINGAPORE.

THE Co.'s S. S. HUNGARIA, Captain G. Doxicii, will be DESPATCHED as above positively on the 29th December, 1880. For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

J. JANNI,
Agent, A. H. Lloyd's S. N. Co.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Nov 29, 1880.

NOTICE.—Steam-ship BELLINI from SUNDERLAND.—CONSIGNEES of CARGO in the above steamer are requested to present their BILLS of LADING, accompanied with delivery orders, to the undersigned for counter-signature, and TAKE PROMPT DELIVERY of their goods.

Unclaimed goods will be immediately warehoused. No claim will be entertained unless preferred before steamer's departure.

SIGG-SULZER & CO.

Bombay, 16th Dec., 1880.

NOTICE.—CONSIGNEES of CARGO per ship GEORGE SCOLFIELD are hereby informed of the vessel's ARRIVAL from London, and are requested to send their BILLS of LADING to us for countersignature, paying freight and proportion, general average where same has not been paid in London. Consignees are requested to TAKE DELIVERY of their respective goods without delay.

No claim against the ship will be paid unless passed by the Captain before the departure of the vessel.

FARNHAM & CO.,
Agents, ship George Scolfield.
Bombay, 17th Dec., 1880.

SALES BY AUCTION.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & COMPANY.

AUCTION SALE OF RIGHT OF COLLECTING SQUATTERS' FEES OF MUNICIPAL MARKETS.

NOTICE.

It is hereby notified that by order of the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTONE and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the Arthur Crawford Market, THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 18th December, 1880, at 11 a. m., the right of collecting Squatters' Fees in the Fruit Market, Arthur Crawford Beef Market, Arthur Crawford Fish and Mutton Market, Erskine Road Fish and Mutton Market, and Pedder Market, Mazagon, from fresh and salt fish sellers, &c., who sit on the floor or other places not numbered, either in line or outside under the eaves of the markets, for 1881 only, *i. e.*, from 1st January to 31st December, 1881. For particulars and conditions of these sales respectively, apply at the Municipal Commissioner's Office, Fort, or the Office of the Superintendent of Markets, Arthur Crawford Markets, or the undersigned. The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & Co.
Bombay, 18th December, 1880.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

The Auction Sale of Railway Plant stores, &c., at the B. B. & C. I. Railway Stores Depôt, Parell, will be resumed to-day.

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CHRISTMAS SEASON.

AN EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR LADIES AND GENTLEMEN TO SELECT FOR USE, PRESENT OR HOME.

Bona-fide auction sale of a splendid collection of choice and rare China and Japan white and red marble top substantial furniture, ivory, sandalwood, porcelain ware, curios, &c., the private property of a China merchant, specially brought out by him for his own household.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 18th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. will sell by Public Auction at No. 32, Meadow Street, behind the Currency Bank, on the same floor occupied by Mr. P. Byramjee, House Agent, the above property, comprising open carved tables, round, large in three pieces, small in two pieces, square high in one piece, long with shelf at bottom, writing, large in three pieces with seven drawers, teapoys, round in two pieces, long with shelves in middle, stools, long, square, hexangular, quatuor circular, round, chairs with arms in two pieces, without arms in one piece, easy with sliding under partition, Japan gilt chessboard, teacaddy, undersliding teapoys, plates to match, rich porcelain jars, garden seats, tea sets, inkstand, spittoons bran new, nicely painted portable lantern, panoramic balls, pure ivory and real sandalwood carved glove boxes, puzzle box, flower vases, folding fans, card trays, baskets, flower boats, curio balls large and small, paper-cutter, paperweights, Chinese and English chessmen, photo. frames, bamboo curios, preserved and painted leaves, books of rich rice paper paintings, exquisitely embroidered, large pictures on white satin in gilt frames, oil paintings in carved frames, select subject engravings in gilt frames, alabaster and parian figures and real Bohemian flower vases, with large glass domes and gilt stands, drawing room illustrated books, small select library, blank copy and note books with lock and keys, travelling curtain with folding frame, morocco writing box completely furnished, portable picnic basket with lock and key, &c., &c.

1 Rosewood cottage Piano, by Dehain of Paris.

Catalogues are published and the property is now on view.

MENESSE & Co.

Bombay, 18th December, 1880.

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TO-NIGHT, SATURDAY, DEC. 18,
H. M. S. PINAFORE.

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Captain Corcoran ..... Mr. Denbigh Newton.
Ralph Rackstraw ..... Mr. George Norville.
Dick Deadeye ..... Mr. John Turner.
Bill Bobstay ..... Mr. George Crofton.
Bob Becket ..... Mr. Hanning.
Josephine ..... Miss Minnie Nordt.
Hebe ..... Miss Emily Blain.
Little Buttercup ..... Mrs. Norville.

MONDAY :
H. M. S PINAFORE

TUESDAY :
THE LADIES' BATTLE ;
AND,
THE LIMERICK BOY.

WEDNESDAY :
LED ASTRAY.

The PLAN of the HOUSE may be seen, and SEATS secured, at Messrs. SOUNDY & Co.'s from 10 A. M. till 6 P. M. daily.

PRICES OF ADMISSION AS USUAL.

Doors open at 8-30. The Performance will begin at 9 p. m. punctually.

GEO. NORVILLE, Business Manager.

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Messrs. JOHN ROBERTS AND Wm. COOK, THE TWO BEST PLAYERS IN THE WORLD, WILL PLAY A MATCH OF 3,000 POINTS UP, AT THE FRAMJEE COWASJEE HALL, ON SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 23.

Doors open at 8 o'clock, to commence at 9 o'clock p.m.

The match will be played on a SPLENDID NEW BILLIARD TABLE made specially by Messrs. JOHN ROBERTS and Co. for the occasion.

ADMISSION.

Unreserved seats	Rs. 2
Reserved seats	,, 5
Reserved seats for the three nights	,, 10

TICKETS may be obtained from Messrs. JOHN ROBERTS and Co., 18, MARINE STREET, where a plan of the hall can be seen.

BYCULLA CLUB.

MEMBERS who have NOT YET NOTIFIED their intention of being PRESENT at the exhibition game of BILLIARDS between Messrs. ROBERT and COOK, which takes place on MONDAY next, the 20th inst., at 9 o'clock, will kindly oblige the undersigned by doing so as soon as possible.

GEORGE K. REMINGTON,
Honorary Secretary.

17th December, 1880.

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A Specially-Written Market Report.
Freight Report, &c.
Summary of Cotton Exports during the Week.
Imports and Exports of Bullion.
Quotations of Imports and Exports, and Customs' Duties.
Comparative Summaries of Exports from Bombay, up to date as per Ships' Manifests, with the Total Exports for the month, and for the same period as far back as 1870 and 1878 respectively.
Comparative Summaries of Imports of Piece Goods and of Yarn into Bombay from Great Britain up to date, with the total for the month and the same period as far back as 1870 and 1878 respectively.
Share List and Rates of Exchange.
List of Vessels in Bombay Harbour on the date of publication, arrivals and departures of Vessels during the week, and Vessels expected from Out and Home Ports.
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LIME-JUICE being at this season of the year an article in general demand as a beverage, it is of considerable importance that purchasers should be able to procure a genuine article.

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	Cash prices.
Lime-Fruit Juice, pints ..... Rs.	1 0
Do. do. quarts ..... ,,	1 12
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Do. do. quarts ,,	1 4

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The "ALLIANCE" Gunpowder was used by the Winner in Three Classes out of Four at this Trial, held at WIMBLEDON May, 1875.

THE GRAND PRIX CASINO, MONACO, 1878.

The Winner of this Prize used P. W. & L.'s "ALLIANCE" Gunpowder.

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P. W. & L. obtained
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C. W. L. JACKSON,
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A. DUNDAS TAYLOR Comdr. (late I. N.),
Superintendent, Marine Survey of India.

Marine Survey Department Calcutta, 8th Dec., 1880.

This Notice affects the following:—
BRITISH ADMIRALTY Charts Nos. 795b, 1355, and 748b.
" " Sailing directions: China Sea Directory, Vol. I, 1878, page 79.
" " Light List for 1880.
INDIAN MARINE SURVEY Light List for 1880.

If this Notice is received on boardship, the substance of it should be inserted on the Charts affected by it, and introduced into the Sailing Directions to which it relates.

By order of His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor in Council,

M. W. WILLOUGHBY, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Marine Department.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, DEC. 17.

WITH the exception of another of these short-lived spurts in Cotton which occurred a couple of days ago, we have had a very quiet week in business all round. The home produce markets have been dull throughout with prices, as a rule, showing a loss on shipments from this side, and exporters have accordingly been working within very contracted lines. So far, in fact, as Cotton is concerned, there can be little doubt that three-fourths of the transactions, which have taken place in New Crop up to date, have been purely local speculation; and even of Linseed we have had European firms offering re-sales of previous purchases. This sort of business, however, will give place to legitimate trade when produce actually begins to come on the market, and looking to the unusually heavy Crops of nearly all export articles, which are now assured, regular shippers may look forward to ample opportunity for safe and profitable business before the end of the season. The import trade is still in a very unsatisfactory position. It is difficult to mention an article in which supplies have not been overdone, although the most noticeable in this respect is Piece-goods. For some months past the imports have been something like double the actual consumption, and there seems little hope, therefore, of the position improving, unless shipments from the other side are almost suspended for a time. Money continues abundant, and Sterling Exchange is quiet. Government Paper is also in less request, and Shares have been losing in favour latterly.

MONEY.—There is, perhaps, a little more demand springing up for Money to meet up-country requirements, but not so far to an extent to exercise any material effect on the general market, which is still extremely easy. For short loans the rate at present may be quoted at 2 per cent. per annum, but on Government Paper with a moderate margin even better terms can be got. With the Christmas and New Year holidays coming on, the next three weeks will probably be very quiet; nor do we think any extensive trade demand is likely to make itself felt before the end of January. Later on the large crops we have in prospect will call for proportionate finance facilities, but looking to the prevailing cheapness of Money in every direction, there is little reason to fear exceptionally high rates of discount throughout the season.

EXCHANGE.—Sterling opened firm, and a large business was done in the early part of the week at hardening rates, but latterly a quieter feeling has prevailed, and we close at only 1-32d. to 1-16d. over last mail's figures. We commenced business for this mail on the basis of 1s. 7¾d. for demand Bank, and 1s. 8d. for 3 months' Credit Bills; but on Tuesday, owing to a slightly higher quotation for Silver from London, an advance of 1-32d. was established. On Wednesday Bank Bills were not obtainable at any advance, but with a large amount of private paper offering a rise of 1-32d. to 1-16d. took place; and on Thursday, although Council drafts going at an average of 1s. 7 13-16d. was not so good as was expected, no quotable alteration occurred. To-day a weaker tendency has been apparent, and a decline of 1-32d. must be quoted, the following being closing quotations:—Bank Bills on demand, 1s. 7¾d.; Telegraphic, 1s. 7 23-32d.; 3 months' sight, 1s. 7¾d.; Credits, 3 months 1s. 8d.; Documents, 3 months 1s. 8 1-32d.; Francs, 3 months' sight 2s. 1¼d. For future delivery the Banks are drawers on demand at 1s. 7 13-16d. for January, and 1-16d. per month higher up to March, and are buyers of 3 months' Credits at 1s. 8 3-32d. for January, 1s. 8 3-16d. for February, and 1s. 8¼d. for March delivery.

In the future prospects of the market there has been no material alteration during the past week. Silver keeps up in value at home considerably above the level of exchange, and no shipments have been advised for this side for some weeks past. This is in some measure a strengthening feature, and the prospect of an active export season also tends in the same direction. Notwithstanding this, however, there are few believers in any very material advance in the value of the rupee, so much depending on the course Government may ultimately adopt regarding the drawings for the home charges.

On Calcutta there has been no change since last mail left, demand drafts being quoted at par 60 days' sight quite nominal. On China 60 days' mercantile bills are still nominally quoted at Rs. 219 per 100 dollars.

The latest quotation by wire for 4 months' sight Bank Bills on London from Hong Kong is 3s. 8⅞d. per dollar and from Shanghai 5s. 1⅛d. per tael.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.—To begin with the market was steady at a slight decline in prices, but on Tuesday a weaker feeling set in, and Fours receded to Rs. 99¾, Fours-and-a-half to Rs. 108¾ to ¾. These remained about current rates until this morning when some speculative buyers coming out a slight recovery ensued, and at the close rates may be called steady at Rs. 99¾ to Rs. 100 for Fours and Rs. 108¾ for Fours-and-a-half.

SHARES.—As a general rule a very quiet appearance has characterised the market this week, and in most instances values have given way slightly. *Bank* of Bombays have been an exception, an advance of Rs. 15 having taken place, making the closing quotation Rs. 740. Agra Bank are Re. 1 lower at Rs. 134, Nationals Re. 1 lower at Rs. 106. In *Land* Companies the only change to notice is a decline of Rs. 10 in Colaba Company. *Press* Companies continue very steady, and we quote an advance of Rs. 15 in Akbar and Rs. 25 in Colaba. Mofussils, after some fluctuations, close the same as a week ago. *Spinning and Weaving Mill* shares, as a general rule, have been dull with daily declining rates, owing partly to the rise in Cotton and dullness in Yarns and in part to the usual cessation in speculation, which begins to set in as the busy season approaches. Owing to special causes which are freely discussed in the market, Dhurrumseys have advanced Rs. 35 on the week, and there is also an advance of Rs. 25 in Sassoons and Rs. 5 in Alfred. Our list of quotations, however, shows a fall of Rs. 75 in Hyderabad, Rs. 50 in Bhownugger Mills, Rs. 35 in Sholapore, Rs. 25 in Madras United, Rs. 20 in Hindustan, Rs. 15 in Manockjee Petit, Morarjee Goculdass, National, and Prince of Wales, Rs. 10 in Khandeish and New Great Eastern, Rs. 7½ in Oriental, Rs. 5 in Western India, and Rs. 2½ in Mazagon.

PIECE-GOODS.—Notwithstanding strong advices from Manchester, we have had another very quiet week in goods, and prices, so far from showing any improvement, are in some few cases the turn against sellers. From the bazaar the total clearances cannot be estimated at more than 2,200 to 2,400 packages, and from first hands the actual extent of business both ready and to arrive has been considerably less. As a general thing prices in Manchester show a loss on the rates current here, and looking to the strength shown by the raw material, this discrepancy may not unlikely be further increased. Dealers, however, show no anxiety about replacing, the fact being that they have supplies ready and to arrive sufficient to keep them going for the next two months, even if shipments from the other side were to cease almost entirely. The up-country markets, too, judging by the scale of orders now coming forward, are fairly well provided, and taken altogether it is difficult to see where an improvement in values can come from until stocks have been worked into much smaller compass.

Local Goods are also less active, and the sales by the mills are only put at about 1,200 packages at an average of As 8§ to As. 8½ per lb.

TWIST.—For English Yarns the enquiry continues on the same limited scale, and there is no quotable change in prices. Holders are not forcing sales in the face of values current at home, but this is about all that can be said in favor of the market, as supplies are considerably in excess of our requirements. *Local Yarns* latterly have been almost as dull as English, the sales being estimated at 1,400 packages for the week at As. 7 5-16 to As. 7½ per lb. for 20s.

METALS.—*Copper.*—A quiet but steady market prevails at former values, and the same may be said of *Yellow Metal*, stocks in both cases being moderate. *Iron* is slow of sale, but we do not alter quotations.

COALS.—Except for distant delivery there have been practically no buyers in the market, but owing to an advance in prices at home there have been equally few sellers, so that on the whole the market may be called fairly firm. For Davison's Welsh Hartley and Cardiff Rs. 17 and for Laird's Welsh Hartley Rs. 16½ per ton alongside are the nominal quotations.

COTTON.—Following the varying character of the telegraphic advices from New York and Liverpool we have had very irregular markets during the week; extreme activity has alternated with almost equal dulness, and prices have undergone frequent fluctuations. In the early part of the week a steady upward tendency was manifested, and rates on the average hardened, until on Wednesday an advance of about Rs. 5 per candy had been established. On the following day next to nothing was done, and to-day we have been flat with a decline from the highest point of about Rs. 3 per candy. The transactions since the departure of last mail may be estimated at about 7,000 bales altogether, made up mainly of new Hingunghaut for this and next month's delivery, Broach for March and Omrawuttee for January-February. By far the largest proportion of Cotton which has changed hands, however, has been Broach, which is the favorite description with speculators, who have again been the chief operators. Home quotations, in fact, show such a loss on ruling rates here, that regular exporters have been practically out of the competition, and to all appearance are likely to continue so until arrivals are on such a scale as to bring the respective markets more on a level. This can scarcely be expected for some few weeks yet, but after the turn of the year it is evident that supplies will increase very rapidly. Already Hingunghaut and Omrawuttee are coming in more freely than is usually the case at this period of the season, and both Broach and Dhollera are not only large but early crops. The parcels coming to hand of the two first mentioned growths show a steady improvement in quality, and the bulk of the black leaf will probably disappear by the end of January, while Broach and Dhollera promise remarkably well.

The Receipts from up-country to date show the following comparisons with the two previous seasons:—

	1880.	1879.	1878.
For the Week	15,421	9,034	7,718
Since 1st September	153,794	99,294	91,317
Since 1st Jan.	1,160,841	865,064	919,618

The Clearances for Sea since the departure of last mail have been 4,140 bales, making a total of 912,580 bales since 1st January against 650,945 bales for the corresponding period last year.

The following are to-day's quotations for Full-pressed Cotton with the equivalents in Sterling, Cost, and Freight to Liverpool, via Canal, without Commission:—

	Per Candy.	Per lb. C. & F.
Old Good Omra (Nominal)	Rs. 218 =	5 19/32d.
" F.G.F. do.	" 209 =	5d.
" G.F. do.	" 201 =	5d.
" Good Dhollera (Nominal)	" 216 =	5 17/32d.
" F.G.F. do.	" 208 =	5 11/32d.
" G.F. do.	" 204 =	5d.
" G.F. Compta	" 194 =	5d.
" F.G.F. Ginned Dharwar	" 238 =	5 11/32d.
New Akote (March delivery)	" 227 =	5d.
" Good Omra do.	" 225 =	5 27/32d.
" F.G.F. do.	" 219 =	5 11/16d.
" Good Hingunghaut, Jan. delivery	" 243 =	6 7/32d.
" Good M. G. Broach, March do.	" 244 =	6d.
" F.G.F. Dhollera, May do.	" 213 =	5 17/32d.

SEEDS.—*Linseed.*—Owing to declining prices at home and several re-sales of previous purchases having come on the market, prices rapidly declined from Rs. 6-14 for ready, Rs. 6-7 for May delivery to Rs. 6-10 and Rs. 6-4 respectively. These figures, however, brought out buyers again, and to-day we quote Rs. 6-11 and Rs. 6-5, per cwt. In *Rapeseed* we have not heard of any business of importance, and we quote nominally for new Guzerat Rs. 5-13 per cwt. April-May delivery. *Gingelly* is now arriving more freely, and a considerable business has been done at, however, slightly easier prices. We quote White, Rs. 40 to Rs. 40-8; Mixed, Rs. 37-8 to Rs. 38-8; and Red, Rs. 37 to Rs. 39 per candy.

WHEAT is not in active request, prices here being above the parity of home values, but dealers being well under contract are able to maintain rates. Soft White is quoted to-day at Rs. 32-8 to Rs. 33 per candy.

PRICES OF BULLION &c.

Sovereigns, each	Rs. 12-2-3
Carolus	" 235
Mexican Dollars	" 224
Five-Franc Pieces	" 231
Bar Silver, 17 to 17½ testerceas	" 107-5-0
Gold Leaf	" 19-7-0
Bar Gold, 10 oz. English, 100 touch	" 19-8-6
Australian Gold, 100 touch	" 19-3-0
Bombay Bar Gold 100 touch	" 19-8-6
Pekin Gold Bars	" 19-3-6

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.

Statement of Traffic for the week ending 11th Dec. 1880.

Open 1,275¾ miles.	Rs.	a.	p.
Coaching	1,46,804	0	0
Merchandise	4,77,469	0	0
Telegraph	1,344	0	0
Total Rs.	6,25,617	0	0
Corresponding week last year, open 1,275¾ miles. Total Rs.	4,50,213	5	2
Increase	1,75,403	10	10

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Peshwa, 1,390 tons, Captain J. Carson, sailed yesterday for Coast and Calcutta with a general cargo.

THE ship Prima Donna, 1,450 tons, Captain W. H. Lunt, will sail to-day for New York, via Muscat, with a general cargo.

THE steamer Pearl, 366 tons, Captain E. C. Raffin, arrived in harbour on the 16th inst. from Coast and Cutch with 55 deck passengers.

THE steamer Bhima, 198 tons, Nacoda, arrived in harbour on the 16th inst. from Muscat with a general cargo and two deck passengers.

THE ship Frigga, 924 tons, Captain S. Sorensen, arrived in harbour yesterday from Cardiff (16th Aug.) with a cargo of 1,382 tons coals. The vessel is consigned to the Captain.

THE steamer Oorun, 162 tons, Captain G. Ringheim, arrived in harbour on the 16th inst. from Coast and Cutch with a general cargo, Mr. W. W. Barr and 75 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Euphrates, 499 tons, Captain O. R. Mitchell, will sail to-day for Kathywar Coast and Kurrachee with a general cargo and the following passengers:—Mr. Damodhur, Mr. D. Jairam, and 104 deck.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Madura, 1,266 tons, Captain W. Starratt, arrived in harbour yesterday from Coast and Calcutta with a general cargo and the following passengers:—Captain H. Tabb, Mr. O'Shea, Mr. Dewhurst, one native, and 65 deck.

THE ship George Skolfield, 1,313 tons, Captain E. B. Forsyth, which arrived in harbour on the 15th inst. from London (21st July), brought the following cargo:—119 packages spirits, 278 cases brandy, 190 cases wine, 930 cases gin, 51 packages asphalte, 10,245 bars and 2,181 bundles iron, 12,676 planks, 812 barrels dynamite, 35 packages whiting, 441 packages bottles, 65 boxes chalk, 30,000 bricks, 80 cases paints, 46 cases clocks, 101 casks cement, 30 cases perfumery, 862 cases window glass, 305 cases matches, 150 drums oil, 300 case candles, 150 cases chimney, 411 packages earthenware, 514 packages glassware, 25 casks beer, 397 packages oilmanstores, and 63 packages provisions. The vessel is consigned to Mess s. Farnham and Co.

DEPARTURE OF THE CHINA MAIL.

THE P. and O. Co.'s steamer Ravenna, 2,130 tons, Captain E. Stewart, sailed yesterday for China with China mail, 1,230½ chests opium, a general cargo and the following passengers: For Galle.—Mr. Yorke Smith. For Hongkong.—Mr. A. S. Quintel, Mr. J. S. Tavares, Mr. Bastoo, Mr. S. Dunedin, and Mr. F. N. Miller.

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
16	Oorun (s)	Ringheim	Mandvee, Dec. 14.
	Pearl (s)	Raffin	Mandvee, Dec. 14.
	Bhima (s)	Nacoda	Muscat, Dec. 12.
17	Madura (s)	Starratt	Calcutta, Nov. 23.
	Frigga	Sorensen	Cardiff, Aug. 16.

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	Destinations.
17	Hydaspes (s)	Harvey	Australia.
	Trentham Hall (s)		Liverpool.
	Assyria (s)	DeSmidt	Zanzibar.
	Peshwa (s)	Carson	Coast and Calcutta.
	Ravenna (s)	Stewart	China.

The following vessels obtained their port-clearances yesterday:—
Steamer Euphrates, Mitchell, to K. Coast and Kurrachee.
Ship Prima Donna, Lunt, to New York via Muscat.

The steamer Pearl, to Coast and Cutch, was entered for loading yesterday.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVAL.
Dec.
11 Busheer (s) ..... Davies ..... Rangoon, Dec. 8.
DEPARTURE.
Dec. 13.—Steamer Melnam.

DAILY IMPORTS.—DECEMBER 17.

FROM LIVERPOOL.
Strathleven (s)—12 cases champagne, Framjee, Sands and Co; 413 bundles rolled iron, Edward, Bates and Co; India (s)—402 bundles hoop iron and 1 case leather belting, M. M. Mody and Co; 15 packages earthenware, Essac Noor Mahomed.

FROM LONDON.
Royal Alexandria—10 casks red ochre and 12 casks yellow colour, Abdoolally.
Tenedos (s)—13 bales printing papers, "Times of India."

HIGH COURT.—DECEMBER 18.

(Before the Hon Sir CHARLES SARGENT.)
For examination of witnesses.
In the matter of the Indian Companies' Act X of 1866 and in the matter of the East India Bank, in liquidation, H. M. Sayani—C. A. Turner, official liquidator.

[Before the Hon. Mr. JUSTICE WEST.]
For Consent Decree.
543-80—Pestonjee K—Dorabjee Hormusjee vs Edward W Parsons.
For investigation under Sec 108 of Act X. of 1877.
In person—Thucker Sewjee Akhai vs Thucker Purshotum Sewjee.
In person—Balajee Sadyaram vs Chandrabhaga.
Suits for hearing and final

TELEGRAMS.

THE ILLNESS OF THE VICEROY.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)
ALLAHABAD, DEC. 17.

The Viceroy has passed a good night, and this morning the fever had again diminished.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)
CALCUTTA, DEC. 17.

The following telegram from Allahabad was received in Calcutta at 3-16 p. m. to-day (Friday):—The Viceroy has passed a good night, and the fever has again diminished.

THE WALI'S DEPARTURE FROM KANDAHAR.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)
KANDAHAR, DEC. 16.

The Wali Shere Ali left for Quetta this morning *en route* to Kurrachee, under a salute of 19 guns. Major Heyland escorts him to Quetta. The Wali's family follow afterwards, he making double marches.

UNSETTLED STATE OF AFGHANISTAN.

(FROM THE PRESS COMMISSIONER.)
CALCUTTA, DEC. 17.

A telegram received from Kandahar, dated the 16th December, states that all is tranquil in Kandahar and the neighbourhood, though bands of thieves are giving trouble on the Herat frontier, and to a lesser extent in Tirin, plundering caravans and intercepting supplies. The Kabul road is reported unsafe for all but large parties beyond Kelat-i-Ghilzai.

SHERE ALI KHAN.

Sirdar Shere Ali Khan reached Abdul Rahman, 28 miles from Kandahar, the afternoon of the day on which he started. His son, Sirdar Mir Alli Khan, with the rest of his family, leaves on Saturday.

THE RAINS IN SOUTHERN AFGHANISTAN.

The warm weather of the last ten days ended in a good fall of rain on the 14th, which has much benefited the land and slightly lowered prices.

ARRIVAL OF THE GOVERNOR AT BHOWNAGAR.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)
BHOWNAGAR, DEC. 17.

H. E. the Governor arrived by the May Frere punctually to time this afternoon. The yacht lay all last night off Surat. There was a large assembly at the bunder to receive His Excellency, including the Thakore; Colonel Barton, Chief Political Agent, Kathiawar; Colonel Watson, President, Rajasthanik Court; Major Wodehouse; Major G. Hancock; Mr. Arthur Crawford; Mr. Richie; Captain Hunter, Railway Magistrate; Mr. Izalt, Chief Engineer of the Railway; Mr. Gowarishanker, the late Minister; Mr. Somaldas, the present Minister; and a large number of officials of the Bhownagar State, and also many visitors, including several ladies. The decorations were very effective, particularly the triumphal arches at the landing-place and the gateway of Moti Bagh, the house at which the Governor is staying. Colonel Barton, Major Wodehouse, and Mr. Somaldas, the Dewan, went off to the May Frere in a steam-launch, and the Governor came ashore in the launch, accompanied by Mr. Ashburner, Mr. Gonne, Colonel Stracey, Captain Claremont, Mr. Macpherson, and Dr. Waters. His Excellency, on landing, was received by the Thakore at the foot of the steps forming the landing-place, and conducted to a shamiana, where the Governor, the Thakore, Mr. Ashburner, and Colonel Barton sat on a raised dais, and visitors were seated in front, forming a sort of durbar. In the meantime a salute was fired, a guard of honour of the Bhownagar armed police presented arms, and the band played the National Anthem.

ADDRESS TO SIR JAMES FERGUSSON.

When the durbar was formed one of the State officials stepped forward and read the following address on behalf of the Thakore:—I greet your Excellency heartily on your first setting foot on the borders of Sourashtra. The privilege of being the first to receive in Kathiawar the present representative of Her Imperial Majesty the Queen-Empress enhances the pleasure which I sincerely feel on seeing your Excellency in my territory, and I rejoice that during your brief stay here I have to ask your Excellency to open an undertaking of some magnitude—I mean the Bhownagar-Gondal Railway. It is, as your Excellency is no doubt aware, the first project of its kind in Kathiawar. In my opinion, the vast resources of this province have hitherto remained undeveloped to a great extent for want of public highways, and I regard the fact with feelings of sincere delight that the very first act of my administration was to sanction this railway. Your Excellency's compliance with my request to open it, at much sacrifice of public time and personal convenience, is a proof of the deep interest you take in the scheme. I venture to believe that its successful completion and its inauguration by your Excellency mark the auspicious beginning of that railway era for this ancient province. I trust that by the blessing of Providence and the encouragement which a novel undertaking like this may fairly claim from a liberal Government like your Excellency's, it will prove a source of prosperity and convenience to my territory as well as to the rest of Kathiawar, so that the neighbouring States may be induced to undertake similar projects. I once again bid you, Sir James Fergusson, a right hearty welcome to the capital of my dominion.

In reply, His Excellency said:—Your Highness the Thakore Saheb,—It is with very great pleasure, indeed, that I visit you in your capital, and assist in the inauguration of an undertaking that does so much honour to your foresight and your public spirit. You have placed yourself already in the van rank as the most enterprising of the princes of India by your contributions to the public good. I shall have, no doubt, a further opportunity of remarking on the great work to inaugurate which we are met together, but I cannot omit, even on this first occasion, to congratulate you on the success which has attended your exertions. I look forward with the greatest satisfaction to my stay, short as it must be, among you, and am highly pleased at having now made the acquaintance of one of whom I have heard nothing but good. I need not at present say more upon those subjects which will engage my attention. I have only to thank you for the most handsome welcome you have given me. (Cheers.)

Subsequently a number of gentlemen were presented to His Excellency by Colonel Barton. A procession of thirteen carriages, with gaily-dressed coachmen, was formed to drive to the Moti Bagh, the Thakore's country residence, some two miles from the bunder. The foremost carriage, which was drawn by four fine greys, carried the Governor, the Thakore, Colonel Barton, and Colonel Stracey. There were large crowds of people assembled along the route, who strewed flowers into the carriages as they drove past. In the evening the Governor drove out to see one of the most interesting public works of Bhownagar, the large bund and the lake formed thereby, which supplies the town with water, and he also visited the railway workshops at Gadechi, some three miles along the line, outside the city

THE OPENING OF THE BHOWNAGAR RAILWAY.

To-morrow (Saturday) the ceremony of the formal opening of the railway takes place. A special train carrying the Governor and guests leaves Bhownagar at seven o'clock in the morning, and traverses the main Bhownagar and Wadwan line as far as Limree, fourteen miles short of Wadwan. The whole line will not be covered, in consequence of the time that would be occupied, and the Doraji branch will not be touched.

The Thakore of Chuda will meet the Governor at Chuda station. At Limree Major Nutt and the Thakore of Limree will meet His Excellency. Breakfast will be served at Limree, and after breakfast the Governor drives through the town with the Thakore. The train leaves Limree on the return journey about 1 p. m. and arrives at Bowmagar at 3-30. A State banquet, for which invitations have been issued by the Thakore, takes place at the Bhownagar durbar palace in the evening. The town and palace will be illuminated, and there will be a display of fireworks. On Sunday the Governor will drive round Bhownagar and view the public buildings and durbar stables, and will receive a visit from and pay a return visit to the Thakore. The Governor will pass over the other part of the railway from Dhola junction through Goudal state next week, when he visits the sacred hill of Goinar.

It is not true that the line taken over will be worked by the Bombay and Baroda Railway. Such arrangements were never even contemplated. The working of the line will be conducted under the State Railway Department, and Mr. H. Dangerfield, formerly of the Holkar-Neemuch State line, is the manager.

THE SONTHAL DISTURBANCES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)
ALLAHABAD, DEC. 17.

The news from the Sonthal pergunnahs is that the half-savage population have taken alarm at the preparations made for taking the census; perhaps this is owing to want of tact on the part of the police. At Jamtara they destroyed the Deputy Magistrate's house and cutcherry, and it seemed as if the railway station would also be pillaged. Extra police have been sent down, and order should soon be restored.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]
(By Red Sea Cable.)

SIR R. TEMPLE ON THE FINANCES OF INDIA.

LONDON, DEC. 16.

In a speech made by Sir Richard Temple at the Colonial Institute he took a favourable view of Indian finances, and said that the deficits were only apparent, and not real. The revenue of the country was increasing, and the material condition of the people was tolerably satisfactory. He dwelt upon the agricultural, mineral, and manufacturing resources of India, the development of which, he said, offers a wide field for English enterprise and capital. The natives were rapidly progressing, both morally and intellectually, and will compete actively with Europeans. Nevertheless, he said, the cry should be that India is both for Indians and English alike.

DUTIES ON COTTON GOODS IN BENGAL.

The Secretary of State for India, replying to the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, said that Government has no information respecting the alleged proposal of the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal to the Indian Government to re-impose a moderate duty on all classes of cotton manufactures, and he had no reason to suppose that such a proposal, if made, would be entertained by the Indian Government.

SIR R. TEMPLE ON THE NATIVES OF INDIA.

LONDON, DEC. 17.

In a lecture given by Sir Richard Temple before the East India Association, he dwelt upon the effects of Western education upon the natives of India. It steadied, he said, their intellect, developed thrifty habits, and promoted integrity and honour. The native officials in India, Sir Richard said, were as honourable and trustworthy as Englishmen. Furthermore, education increased the general political intelligence of India, and was creating a fresh body of public opinion. The religious belief of the masses was unaffected, and female education was spreading.

MORE TROOPS FOR IRELAND.

The 97th Regiment is under orders to proceed to Ireland at once.

LONDON, DEC. 16.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed with supplies freely offered. Surats unchanged.

The London Cotton market has been quiet but steady.

Fair Dhollera	5¼d.

In the Manchester market there has been a good enquiry, but business is checked by the firmness of holders.

4 per cent. Rupee Paper	82
4½ do. do.	89¾
3 per cent. Consols for account	98⅞
5 do. French Rentes, 1872	110¼
Bar Silver	51d.
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight	1s. 7d.

The Bank of England returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results:—

Reserve of Notes....£13,100,000, Inc. £200,000.
Bills Discounted....£20,400,000, Inc. £300,000.
Bullion....£24,900,000, Dec. £100,000.

The proportion of the reserve to the liabilities is 45 per cent.

Arrival—Nepaul.

LIEUT. PROUDFOOT, of the 9th N. I., is to be the new Adjutant of the Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

MR. W. C. Plowden, C. S., reverts to his substantive appointment as Commissioner of the Meerut division, and Mr. J. Sladen, C. S., to that of Magistrate and Collector, Saharanpur.

THE *Englishman*, in noticing the fancy-dress ball given by the Bombay Volunteers, asks why do not the Calcutta Volunteers follow so good an example, instead of wasting their strength in one or two company's balls?

MR. A. F. Cales de Andrade, a leading member of the Goa bar, has successfully contested the Government order in exempting himself from a fresh examination, which the order imposes upon every barrister wishing to plead before any court of justice.

BY a ministerial decree of the 21st October last all the foreign vessels frequenting the ports of the Portuguese settlements in the East have been put in every respect on the same footing as the national vessels, and an anchorage fee is to be charged according to the tonnage of each vessel, irrespective of her nationality.

THE latest report on the opium trade in China says:—"In the Honkong opium market a good business was done in New Patna during the fortnight at steady rates until latterly, when an advance was established. A small local demand has existed for Old Benares; for Malwa a fair inquiry has prevailed. At Shanghai a steady demand has been experienced on a limited scale at lower prices."

FROM a memorandum issued from the Press Commisioner's office we learn that the actual receipts from nine sales of Bengal opium and eight months' duty on opium exported from Bombay have exceeded the estimated receipts by Rs. 52,09,833. Bengal opium has exceeded the estimate by Rs. 1,15,55,908, but the Bombay duty is less by Rs. 63,46,075. The total actual receipts for the year up to date are Rs. 7,12,66,333.

CAPTAIN E. L. DURAND does not at once take up his appointment with Yakub Khan at Mussoorie, his services being required in the eastern States of Rajputana. The death of the Maharaja of Jeypore has, of course, thrown a great deal of extra work on the hands of the Resident, Colonel Beynon, who consequently needs some temporary assistance.

THE *Englishman* draws attention to the fact that the brave little band of men who went to Kurd and fought so well on our North-Eastern Frontier have not, with the exception of very few, picked men, been rewarded in any shape or form. The Naga campaign was not a walk-over, and the Lushai war of 1872, for which a medal was given, cannot be compared as to fighting with the Naga Hill expedition. It is high time that some of the honours which have been so lavishly scattered about of late, should find their way to Assam, and we trust that we shall soon be in a position to announce that a medal has been granted to all those who took a part in the Naga expedition.

THE Lahore paper hears that the courts of Jeypore and Gwalior are desirous of establishing local museums somewhat on the model of the Lahore institution, and that letters have been received at Lahore asking for information on the subject. We hope the durbars may be encouraged to persevere with their contemplated enterprise. Museums in native States, especially if they were well-furnished in the economic department, would prove useful in numberless ways. As regards education generally, and local improvements of sorts, Jeypore is so far ahead of other native States that its present interest in the matter of museums is only what one would have expected. If Gwalior makes a beginning, Indore will not lag far behind; nor Bhopal either.

ABDUL RAHMAN is, remarks the *Pioneer*, giving hostages to fortune by collecting about him his whole family. Not only has he sent to Kandahar for one branch, but also to Samarkand for those members of his family who were with him in exile. These are now on their way to Kabul, and it is within the bounds of possibility that General Kaufmann may, under pretence of escorting them, send some emissaries with them to Afghanistan. This may be the explanation of the Kabul bazaar rumour that a Russian mission is again journeying to Kabul. Of course Bokhara every honour would be shown to the relatives of the new Ameer, especially as at Russian dictation these honours would promptly be forthcoming. With Kandahar undisposed of, and with so much still to gain from the British Government, Abdul Rahman would not be foolish enough openly to welcome a mission from Tashkend. What he may venture to do hereafter, when he has consolidated his power, not even Mr. Lepel Griffin would dare to prophesy.

THE well-meant efforts of Sir James Fergusson to cheapen the telegraph tariff have not resulted satisfactorily, observes the *Indian Daily News*. The reason, of course, is that the department cannot afford to make the concessions suggested by His Excellency. That this reason is not so valid as at first sight appears will be seen at a glance from the statistics of the department for a few years consecutively. From a study of these the public will have no difficulty in perceiving the generally elastic nature of the income realised by the department, and also the comparatively weak spirit of enterprise which distinguishes its operations. The department is well able to run the risk of trying such an experiment as that recommended by Sir J. Fergusson, especially when that experiment is in a direction which has invariably resulted in a success when tried in other departments. That the department is a really progressive institution is shown by the fact that while the number of offices, that is to say, the conveniences for transmitting and receiving messages, have only been increased to the extent of 3·11 per cent. per annum, the number of messages has increased at the rate of 25·69, and the receipts at the rate of 15·23 per cent. per annum. Over and above the recorded expenses on revenue account there was a sum of Rs. 72,000 expended on capital account. This latter sum will, of course, be accounted for in the revenue returns of the coming year. The fact therefore remains that the profit on the year's transactions amounted to £26,210, and as the amount of capital expended to the end of 1877 was £1,325,394, this annual profit is equal to a return of 1·98 per cent. on that sum. In eleven years only 61 new offices were opened; and this well illustrates the feebleness of the encouragement which has been given to the development of telegraph traffic in a country where the demand for such a convenience is steadily growing; and yet, in spite of this, we find the department return a profit of 2 per cent. on the entire capital expended.

THE Kabul correspondent of the *Civil and Military Gazette* relates the following account of an extraordinary scene at a recent durbar. Sirdar Shere Mahomed Khan, son of the late Sirdar Pir Mahomed Khan, an old man and long a pensioner of the Court, applied to the Ameer in somewhat abrupt terms for his stipend. The Ameer in a fit of passion ordered his guards to kill the applicant on the spot. A sentry endeavoured to cut the old man down, when one of the chiefs interfered, losing two of his fingers for his pains. Shere Mahomed Khan was so severely beaten that he is not expected to survive, but sentence of banishment across the Oxus has been passed against him if he recovers. Mahomed Jan Khan has married, at the Ameer's instance, a sister of one of the widows of the late Ameer Shere Ali. Syed Mahomed Shah, who married a daughter of the late Ameer, has been imprisoned. Two Hindu bankers, Mangul Sing, agent to Chota Ram, and the agent of Durjana Mull, Shikarpooree, have been banished from Kabul for giving up money belonging to the present Ameer to Shere Ali. Sirdar Wali Mahomed is said to be greatly offended with the British Government. He declares he had a promise in writing from Mr. Lepel Griffin of an annual allowance charged on lands in the Kurram Valley of a lakh-and-a-half of rupees per annum, and he is only paid a thousand rupees a month, which he now refuses to accept. Wali Mahomed Khan is said to have given out that he will go to the Shah of Persia with Mr. Griffin's letter, to let it be known how British political officers keep faith. The family of Zakaria Khan have reached Peshawur, though orders had been given in Kabul for their arrest at Jellalabad. The Ameer has, it is reported, represented to the British Government the impolicy of withdrawing from Kandahar at present. He says that on our troops retiring Ayoub would certainly occupy the place, whence he would be in a position to attack Kabul. He urges therefore delay, and says he will himself intimate to the British Government when he considers his rule at Kabul strong enough to enable him to turn his attention to Kandahar.

The electric railway of Dr. Werner Siemens, which attracted so much attention when it was first introduced at the Berlin Industrial Exhibition in 1879, and which has been successfully working all the summer at the Brussels Exhibition, is about to pass from its exhibitory stage into practical every-day use. For some time an application has been lying before the municipal authorities of Berlin asking for powers to build and work a system of elevated tramways in several of the principal Berlin thoroughfares. The rails were to be erected on iron poles over the footwalks, and the absence of noise was considered an argument in favour of the new conveyance; but objection to the scheme was made by the proprietors along the line of route, who pleaded that the permanent-way would interfere with their window prospect and lower the value of their houses. This objection has not altogether stopped the execution of the project, and Messrs. Siemens and Halske have obtained a concession for the erection of a suburban line at Berlin from Lichterfeld to Yeltow. There are also signs nearer home of the practical application of electricity to the transmission of motive power; for in Liverpool the erection of an elevated tramway along the whole line of the docks for the purpose of transporting goods by electricity without interfering with the traffic on the wharves below, is being seriously contemplated. At the Victoria Docks, where the Siemens electric light is now introduced, several of the cranes are worked by the same apparatus which generates the illuminating currents, according to the plan followed by Dr. C. W. Siemens at his telegraph works, Charlton. Moreover, the installation of the Siemens light in the City will probably be the signal for a series of experiments for the purpose of utilising by day, in working cranes and lifts in City warehouses, the dynamo-electric machines and engines which are employed in feeding the electric lamps by night.

VIZAGAPATAM BRASS FIGURES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Can you or any of your readers kindly tell me from whom at Vizagapatam, in the Madras Presidency, I can obtain some of the brass figures, plates of which are given in Nos. 20 to 26 of Dr. Birdwood's book, "The Industrial Arts of India?"

Dec. 15. J. F. F.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Apollo Gardens, Al Fresco, 9 p. m.
Gaiety Theatre, "Pinafore," 9 p. m.
Billiard Match, Framjee Cowasjee Hall, 9 p.m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 16th:—Oorun (s) and Pearl (s), from Mandvee; Bhima (s), Muscat. Yesterday:—Madura (s), Calcutta; Frigga, Cardiff.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Hydaspes (s), to Australia; Trentham Hall (s), Liverpool; Assyria (s), Zanzibar; Peshwa (s), Coast and Calcutta; Ravenna (s), China.

BOMBAY SCOTTISH ORPHANAGE.—A collection on behalf of the funds of the Bombay Scottish Orphanage will be made in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow at the forenoon and evening services.

THERE will be a celebration of holy communion in the Bishop's Chapel, Malabar Castle, on Sunday next at 7-30 a. m. After this these services will be discontinued.

THE AMERICAN EVANGELISTS.—The special evangelistic services in the tent on the Esplanade will close on Sunday evening. Revd. J. S. Inskip will preach on Saturday evening at 7-30, and Bishop S. M. Merrill, D. D., on Sunday evening at 6. On Saturday and Sunday at 4 p. m. Mrs. Inskip will conduct childrens' services. On Sunday at 8 a. m. Revd. S. P. Jacobs, of Calcutta, will preach at Grant Road Church: after which Bishop Merrill will conduct an ordination service; and at 11 a. m. Revd. D. Osborne, of Allahabad, will preach at Nabal's Tank Road, Mazagon.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s. s. Tentham Hall and Hampshire left the dock yesterday.

POOR-BOX.—The Chief Presidency Magistrate acknowledges, with thanks, the receipt of Rs. 100, contributed by "L." to the poor-box of the Fort Police Court.

AN ESCAPED LUNATIC.—A lunatic named Wm. Carruthers, who escaped from the asylum at Colaba, was arrested on Thursday evening by Mr. Constable Saunders, and taken back to the asylum.

ASSAULT.—Ambrose Brown, a seaman of the British ship Peerless, was yesterday sentenced to two weeks' rigorous imprisonment by Mr. C. P. Cooper for assaulting Captain Williams, the master of that vessel.

AN OLD OFFENDER.—Siddoo Rumjan, a noted character, was yesterday convicted by Mr. C. P. Cooper of stealing a purse containing Rs. 13 in cash from the pocket of Kuttow Laduck. He was sentenced to two years' rigorous imprisonment.

HARBOUR ACCIDENT.—Bhowan Sumbhajee, a ship's labourer, employed coaling a steamer in harbour, accidentally got both bones of his left leg fractured by a plank falling on it. He was conveyed to the Goculdas Tejpal Hospital, where he is under treatment.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.—To-morrow (Sunday, the 19th) there will be an ordination of deacons at the Cathedral. The service will commence at 10-30 a. m. instead of at the usual hour, 11 a. m. The offertories of the day will be devoted to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel.

GAMBLERS.—Kerbadjee Sorabjee and six others were yesterday charged at the instance of Mr. Inspector Ralph before Mr. P. Ryan with being found gaming in a common gaming-house at Khetwady. They were convicted. Prisoner No. 1. and another were fined Rs. 10 each, and the rest Rs. 5 each.

A DISTURBANCE.—On the last day of the Mohurrum a disturbance took place at Bhiwandee amongst the Mussulman fanatics and the police. The former are said to have hurt the fouzdar of that place by throwing stones at him. The police of Bhiwandee have taken the necessary steps for the prosecution of the fanatics.

A CONVERT TO THE ROMISH FAITH.—A Matheran correspondent writes that Miss M. F. Cunningham, late of the Ritualist Mission House, daughter of Sir F. Cunningham, having embraced the Roman Catholic religion, was baptised on Tuesday at Matheran, the sacrament being administered by the Rev. Father DeSouza.

AN ENTERTAINMENT.—The boys of the Convent School of Bandora were entertained at a dinner by the priest of Condewta, near Andheree, on Thursday last. The boys seemed to be much pleased by this attention. They spent the whole day at Condewta, and returned to Bandora by the evening train.

FIRE AT CARNAC BUNDER.—A fire broke out at 4-30 p. m. on Thursday last at the Carnac Bunder in a stack of coir bales which was lying on the bunder, and which belonged to Kessowjee Nuthoo. The fire was speedily extinguished, prompt assistance being rendered by the Port Trust people and the police. Its origin is attributed to the lighted end of a *biddee* having been carelessly thrown down by some passers-by.

ANOTHER FIRE AT THE KHARRA TALAO HAY-STACKS.—Another fire broke out on Thursday afternoon in a haystack at Kharra Talao, better known as the Grass Bazaar, situated near the Null Bazaar locality; but fortunately it was observed in time, and soon put out, with scarcely any damage to property. The people in the neighbourhood complained of the danger of grass and hay being stacked in such a crowded locality, and the matter is to be brought to the notice of the Municipal Commissioner.

DRUNKENNESS DURING THE MOHURRUM HOLIDAYS.—The *Kossid Mumbai* says that, in spite of the police order to close all liquor-shops during the latter part of the Mohurrum holidays, and in spite of all precautions to have it effectually carried out, drunkenness among the followers of the true prophet this year was much as usual. The *Kossid* traces the cause to cologne water, which was found by lovers of alcohol to be just as serviceable as any spirits, and which, in the opinion of the paper, ought therefore to be included in the order prohibiting the sale of country-liquors which is issued every year during these holidays.

SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS.—Constable Collett arrested three Moguls named Morad Gurrib, Hyder Hussain, and Aziz Backer while making enquiries in a case of theft on Thursday last. Morad Gurrib, the first prisoner, had charged a Mogul boy with robbing him of Rs. 40; but upon enquiry the charge turned out to be false, and the Rs. 40, which was found in the possession of the boy, was proved to be the lad's property. Subsequently, upon further enquiry, it was discovered that the complainant, Morad Gurrib, was a noted housebreaker, which led to the arrest of the other Moguls, who were about six years ago deported from British India by order of the local Government. They were yesterday charged before Mr. P. Ryan with being habitual housebreakers and thieves and dangerous characters. The magistrate thereupon issued the following order:—"The prisoners having been removed from British India by order of the local Government under Section 4 of Act III of 1864, and having returned to British India contrary to the provisions of that Act, they may be detained and kept in custody by the police, pending the orders of Government, to whom a report should at once be made."

A YOUNG PARSEE LADY AT THE MATRICULATION EXAMINATION.—Miss Putlibye Dhunjeebhoy Wadia, who was a candidate for this year's matriculation examination, the results of which we published in our paper of yesterday, is the first native lady on this side of India who has appeared at a University examination. Though she did not sit out the whole examination, she went through the English literature paper, and attended also the *viva voce* examination in English, and came very successfully out of the ordeal, having scored as many as 67 marks out of 150 in the paper, and 40 out of 50 in the oral examination, making in all 107 marks out of 200—that is, 41 marks over and above the minimum of marks requisite for passing in English. This would be reckoned a creditable achievement even for a boy; but Miss Putlibye is a girl of only sixteen years, and has received all her education at home from her father, Mr. Dhunjeebhoy Wadia. We are told that the Revd. A. C. Grieve, to whose lot fell the duty of examining her, as well as the two young ladies from the Scottish schools, was very much pleased with her command of the English language and her clear and correct accentuation and pronunciation, which, together with the intelligent answers she gave to several questions he put to her in grammar and idiom, when he examined her orally, showed, besides the extent of her reading, the careful training she has evidently had.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Thibet, Captain W. R. Jordon, will sail to-day for Aden and Suez with the Europe Mails and the following passengers:—

For Southampton—Mrs. F. Anderson and infant, Mr. J. P. Rodgers, and Lieut. H. Wood.
For Brindisi—Colonel R. Murray, Major Hostings, Lord Ribblesdale, Major F. D. Mander, Dr. R. W. Cunningham, Dr. W. Jackson, and J. W. Roy.
For Marseilles—Lieut. A. T. Weller and Colonel Rogers.
For Venice—Lieut, R. G. E. Twiss.
For Suez—Col. A. B. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sassoon.

THE following passengers have been engaged by the P. and O. S. N. Company:—

25th December, s. s. Rosetta, Captain A. E. Barlow.
For Southampton—Col. A. F. Battye, Mrs Battye, Miss Battye, Mr. A. Stewart, and Major J. S. Iredell.
For Venice—Mrs. R. B. Chapman, Miss Chapman, and 2 children.
For Brindisi—Mr. R. Maconachie, Sir John Strachey, Lady Strachey and 2 children, Major-General Vine, Miss Vine, and Captain F. Haward, Surgeon-Major R. Lewer, Mr. P. J. White, Mr. R. M. Marsh, and Lieut.-Colonel Cunningham.

MILITARY MOVEMENTS.

THE I. G. S. Dalhousie sailed from Kurrachee on the 16th instant at 4 p.m. for Bombay with the following details. She will arrive here on the 19th December, and the troops will disembark in the Sassoon Dock:—17 men of R. A. and 3 men of the 83rd Regiment, who will be attached to the Colaba Depôt, and will be despatched as soon as possible to join their respective depôt of corps and batteries; 2 men R. A.; 4 men, 2 women, and 1 child of the 66th Regiment, who will be attached to the Colaba Depôt, and will be sent to join the regiment at Khandalla; 87 men of the 2-7th Regiment; 1 officer and 39 men of the 2-11th Regiment; 22 men of the 78th Highlanders, and 21 men of 15th Regiment, who will be attached to the Colaba Depôt, and will be sent to Poona on the 22nd instant by special train from the Sassoon Dock; 62 men of the 61st Regiment, who will be attached to the Colaba Depôt, and will be sent to Mhow *viâ* Deolalee and Khandwa by the 8 a. m. train on the 20th instant; and 7 officers, 1 lady, and 3 children of British Regiments.

CHARGE OF EXTORTION AGAINST JAIL EMPLOYES.

YESTERDAY at the Fort Police Court, before Mr. C. P. Cooper, Oosman Khan Ameer Khan pleaded guilty to a charge of having abetted Ardesir Lowjee iSetna in extorting Rs. 4 from one Abdul Rahim an illegal gratification, as a motive for showing favour n the exercise of his official functions to one Mahomed Oomar, a convict. The prisoner defended himself by saying that in regard to the extortion he was only acting under jailer's orders. He feared to disobey DeSouza, who had it in his power to injure him, as he had done others. He was bound to confess that the instance specified in the charge was not the only one in which he had gone to prisoners' houses for money. He had gone on several occasions on similar errands, but always by order of DeSouza and under protest. His Worship said that it was right that he should take into consideration the circumstances alleged by the prisoner in passing sentence upon him. No doubt the prisoner was induced to act in the way he had done by those in authority over him, but he must have known that he was acting wrongly; and it was his duty to inform Captain Walshe or the police of what he had been required to do. Most probably, had he done so, instead of being placed in the prisoner's dock he would have been promoted. The whole duty, therefore, as a magistrate, to pass such a sentence upon him as would deter other persons from offending similarly. His Worship sentenced the prisoner to two months' rigorous imprisonment in the House of Correction.

The case against Jamsetjee Hormusjee, Ardesir Lowjee Setna, and Ramjee Bhikajee was next called on. Mr. Pherozshaw Mehta's clerk informed the magistrate that being engaged in the High Court, he feared Mr. Pherozshaw would not be able to attend the Police Court that day. His Worship remarked that Mr. Pherozshaw had no right to delay the business of his court, which he was treating with marked discourtesy in so doing. The practice at the bar held that a criminal case was entitled to the primary attention of a barrister who also had the conduct of a civil suit on hand. His Worship would, however, postpone the case until 2 p. m. of the same day, and communicate with Mr. Pherozshaw meanwhile.

The court resumed at 2 p. m. Mr. Perozshaw, however, was not present. David Aaron, a jemadar of the Common Jail, was summoned as a witness on behalf of prisoner No. 1, and stated that he was not aware that he (prisoner No. 1) ever exercised coercion over the convicts. He remembered that Mr. DeSouza on one occasion took the prisoner to be searched. He did not know then that he was searched to see if he had received more than Rs. 15 from a certain convict. Mr. DeSouza used to take convicts into his office three or four times a day, but witness did not know for what purpose. Before DeSouza was appointed to the jail the work of distributing the hard labour among the convicts was done by the jemadars. DeSouza used to place prisoners in irons without first taking them before the Superintendent.—Prisoner No. 1 here begged that the flannel shirt which the witness had on might be examined. Prisoner No. 1 stated that the shirt belonged to him, but that he had left it and his boots behind him in the Common Jail when he was transferred to the House of Correction. At the last hearing the witness appeared in court with his boots on, and yesterday it was plain that the witness had another object in view than the safety of the convicts was not safe. His Worship held that the statement had no bearing on the charge brought against him, but he was sure that Captain Walshe, who was present in court, and had heard what was said, would see to the matter.

William Frederick Purvis said that he acted on two occasions as Deputy Superintendent of the Common Jail, and remembered when prisoner No 1 was first taken to jail. During his time convicts frequently sent for their relatives to the jail for the purpose of having their property made over to them. In all such cases witness made himself sure that those who came to the jail to receive property in that way *bonâ fide* relatives. Prisoner No. 1 was a violent man when in jail, but was never reported. Witness did not leave the jail in order to avoid the disgrace of being implicated in the malpractices with which the jail employés were charged. He heard that subsequently that they were receiving illegal gratifications.

Narayen Pandurang, a jail jemadar, said he never used to lock up prisoners in order to extort money from them. He did not know if Mr. Menon's prisoner was allowed to get his food from home on his paying Rs. 100 to Mr. DeSouza.

Yassimkhan Nunekhan, a convict in the Common Jail, said that for the past four or five months he was employed as a bunnia and cook. He said that he was taken to jail he was put to shot-drill. A few days after Ardesir told him he would, if he chose to pay money, be put to lighter work. Ardesir demanded Rs. 100, but finally agreed to take instead the property which he had taken to the jail with him, viz., Rs. 32-4 (in cash), a silver watch, valued at Rs. 75, and a gold ring, valued at Rs 30. Witness also obtained Rs. 20 more, and paid it to Ardesir. Ardesir warned him that should DeSouza question him, witness should say he had paid only Rs. 50. Ardesir called prisoner No. 1, and gave him Rs. 2 to pay to Dawood Jemadar. When the witness first refused to pay Rs. 100 to Mr. DeSouza he was told by Ardesir that the latter had the whole drill after he paid the money to the jailor. Witness had heard that DeSouza was in the habit of receiving money from convicts. Witness knew that such of the convicts as could afford it had an easier time than the others. Those who were poor and could not pay money were ill-treated and flogged. Witness did not complain to the Superintendent or the jail visitors, as he was threatened by Ardesir with the worst treatment if he did so. Convicts who made complaints were badly used the next day.

The case was then adjourned to Monday morning.

DIVINE SERVICES.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

SERVICE will be held to-morrow (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock on board the ship Blair Drummond. The Bethel flag will be hoisted in the morning. Captains, officers, and seamen are earnestly invited to attend. A large launch, for any friends wishing to go from shore, will leave Arthur Bunder at 10-20 a. m. and Apollo Bunder at 10-30 a. m. precisely.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.
GRANT ROAD.

Public services on Sundays at 8-30 a. m. and 6 p.m., and also at Dean Hall, Fort, and Nabob's Road, Mazagon, at 11 a. m. and 6 p. m., and at each of the three places on Mondays and Thursdays at 7-30 p.m. English-speaking natives are cordially invited.

IN THE HARBOUR.
CHAPLAIN—R. F. WINTER.

Divine Service will be held on board the I. G. Hulk Semiramis on Sunday at 11 a. m. Captains, officers, and men are cordially invited to attend. Also in the European General Hospital at 4 p. m., and in the Library of the Royal Alfred Sailors' Home at 6 p. m.

CHRISTMAS DINNER AT THE GOVERNMENT WORKHOUSE.

CAPTAIN WALSHE asks us to state that the Government Work-house poor-box is entirely empty, and that he will be glad to receive any contributions which the charitably disposed may kindly subscribe for the dinner, or for the box generally. Any amount forwarded will be duly acknowledged in this journal. Contributions of cast-off clothing are also most acceptable, many of the vagrants being in great want of clothing. Presents of cakes, fruit, &c., will likewise be thankfully received at this season. We feel sure that Captain Walshe's appeal will not be made in vain, and that there are many who will gladly contribute towards a Christmas dinner for their unfortunate fellow-countrymen in the Government Work-house.

BOMBAY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION.

A SPECIAL general meeting of the Corporation was held at the Municipal Offices yesterday, the Hon'ble Rao Saheb V. N. Mandlik, C. S. I., presiding. There were also present:—Mr. James Bapty, Dr. Blaney, Messrs. E. R. Freeborn, James Greaves, H. E. Jacomb, D. S. Kemp, Major Merewether, Mr. P. Peterson, Surgeon-Major J. Pinkerton, Mr. W. M. Wood, Dr. Atmaram Pandoorung, Messrs. Anandrao N. Dabulker, Khan Bahadoor Byramjee Dadabhai, Mr. Byramjee N. Servai, Dr. Cowasjee Hormusjee, Messrs. Dinanath R. Khote, Fazalbhai C. Ganjee, Goculdas Jugmohundas, Hirjee Ardeshir Dady, Homejee Cursetjee Dady, Hormusjee Dadabhoy, H. N. Saklatvala, Hurkissondas Narotamdas, Hurrichund Sadashewjee, Joomabhai Laljee, Mancherjee N. Banajee, Norowjee Byramjee Suntook, Nowrojee Furdoonjee, Nusserwanjee Chandabhoy, R. N. Khote, and Venayekrao R. Luxmonjee.

GOVERNMENT AND THE MUNICIPALITY ANENT THE C. D. ACT.

The Chairman said the first business before the meeting was a proposal to adopt a memorial to His Excellency the Viceroy, protesting against the reduction of Rs. 15,000 from the Government contribution towards the police grant, and the diversion of that sum to meet part of the cost of the working of the C. D. Act.

Mr. Kemp rose to suggest that item number two on the list of business be taken first. Therein Government requested the Municipality to give such information as they could afford as to the extent to which the public would be likely to avail themselves of the telephone if it were introduced into India. The business relating to the restitution of Rs. 15,000 by Government might possibly not be disposed of so soon as to admit of the consideration of the second business, which, Mr. Kemp thought, must be gone through that day, as a delay in the matter would greatly inconvenience the mercantile and other interests.

The Chairman said the meeting had been principally convened to consider the subject of the memorial to Government, while upon the question of the introduction of the telephone they had simply to write to Government that they were not able to give any information at present. Unless, ther

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25 12	27 12	„ Palmer ... (Wines)	27 0	29 0
23 0	25 0	„ La Rose ... ( )	24 0	26 0
21 0	23 0	St. Julien ... (Dinner)	22 0	24 0
17 4	19 4	Cantemac ... (Wines)	18 0	20 0
15 12	17 12	St. Estephe, a favourite ...	16 8	18 8
13 8	15 8	Petit Medoc, excellent for Breakfast ...	14 0	16 0
15 12	17 12	Do. in Litre Bottles ...	16 8	18 8
13 0	15 0	Pauillac do. for Cup ...	13 8	15 8
21 0	25 12	Haut Sauternes, delicate flavour, Red ...	25 0	27 0
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26 12	28 12	Chablis, La Moutonne, superior..	28 0	30 0
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43 0	45 12	FINE DRY SPARKLING ..	45 0	48 0
32 12	34 8	CARTE BLANCHE (Sibaday's) light, particularly dry ..	34 0	36 0
25 8	28 12	SAUMER, Fine Sparkling ..	26 8	30 0
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28 4	31 12	A. DE PAUL	29 8	32 0

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43 0	45 0	Hock, Nonpareil, extra quality, medium dry	45 0	47 0
32 8	34 8	Hock, Sparkling Rudesheimer, very choice	34 0	36 0
30 12	..	Hock, excellent Wine ..	32 0	..
43 0	45 0	Moselle, Nonpareil [extra quality]	45 0	47 0
32 8	34 8	Moselle, Muscatel [very choice]..	34 0	36 0
30 12	..	Moselle, excellent Wine	32 0	..

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48 8	50 8	Hock, Johannisberger, superior..	51 0	53 0
40 8	..	Do. Marcobrunner	42 8	..
29 8	31 8	Hock, Rudesheimer, mellow ..	31 0	33 0
24 4	26 4	Do. Hochheimer, fine flavoured	25 8	27 8
19 4	21 0	Do. Laubenheimer, light, refreshing	20 0	..
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28 12	Solera	30 8
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27 4	Montilla, extra pale and very dry black seal	28 0
22 0	Manzanilla, very pale, dry .. red seal	23 0
21 0	Pale, dry medium .. .. yellow seal	22 0
20 0	Vino De Pasto, remarkably pale and dry, pink .. .. .. seal	21 0
16 12	A Good Dinner Wine .. .. white seal	17 8
16 12	Marsala, Virgin, pale fine, flavour yellow seal	17 8
37 12	Madeira, E. I., very superior .. black seal	39 0
33 8	Madeira, excellent Wine .. .. red seal	34 0

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19 4	21 0	An Excellent wine .. red seal	20 0	22 0
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6 0	..	Do. Yellow „ ..	6 4	..
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51 4	53 0	Maraschino de Zara, best	53 8	57 8
47 8		Noyeau de Martinique	49 8	..
57 0		Creme de Noyeau	58 8	..
38 12	40 12	Cherry Brandy, best Copenhagen	40 8	42 8
20 8	..	Orange Bitters, best	21 0	..
30 12	..	"Kill the Crow" Bitters ..	32 0	..
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37 8	Black Capsule, superior old, pale ..	39 0
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23 4	RUM, old Jamaica	23 0
20 8	fine "Pineapple"	21 0
22 4	GIN, London Old Tom, first quality	23 0
22 4	DRY GIN	23 0
22 4	FIELD'S Gin	23 0
16 0	WHISKEY, Irish and Scotch	17 8
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18 0	SCHNAPPS SCHIEDAM AROMATIC, Anti-Dyspeptic Cordial	18 8
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